LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

Claims 1 - 30 (cancelled)

Claim 31 (Currently amended): A method of providing data to a user of a client computer connected to multiple data stores and multiple other computers, the method comprising the steps of:

providing a user interface to enable the user to identify desired data <u>available on one or</u> <u>more of the multiple data stores or on one or more of the multiple other computers;</u>

retrieving the desired data; and

providing the desired data to the user.

Claim 32 (original): The method of claim 31, wherein the user interface provides categories of data.

Claim 33 (original): The method of claim 32, wherein the categories of data include music categories.

Claim 34 (original): The method of claim 32, wherein the categories of data include news categories.

Claim 35 (original): The method of claim 31, wherein the desired data comprises one or more music files that are played with a media player.

Claim 36 (original): The method of claim 35, further comprising providing a music controller.

Claim 37 (original): The method of claim 35, wherein the user interface enables a user to create music filters.

Claim 38 (original): The method of claim 37, wherein a music filter comprises data on how frequently a music file is to be played.

Claim 39 (original): The method of claim 35, wherein the user interface enables a user to create a custom station

Claim 40 (original): The method of claim 39, wherein the user interface enables a user to share the custom station with another user.

Claim 41 (Currently amended): An apparatus for providing data to a user of a client computer, comprising:

a client computer connected to multiple data stores and multiple other computers;

one or more computer programs, performed adapted to be executed by the client computer and multiple other computers, for providing a user interface to enable the user to identify desired data from one or more of the connected data stores or multiple other computers, retrieving retrieve the desired data, and providing provide the desired data to the user.

Claim 42 (Currently amended): The method <u>apparatus</u> of claim 41, wherein the user interface provides categories of data.

Claim 43 (Currently amended): The method apparatus of claim 42, wherein the categories of data include music categories.

Claim 44 (Currently amended): The method apparatus of claim 42, wherein the categories of data include news categories.

Claim 45 (Currently amended): The method apparatus of claim 41, wherein the desired data comprises one or more music files that are played with a media player.

Claim 46 (Currently amended): The method apparatus of claim 45, further comprising providing a music controller.

Claim 47 (Currently amended): The method apparatus of claim 45, wherein the user interface enables a user to create music filters.

Claim 48 (Currently amended): The method apparatus of claim 47, wherein a music filter comprises data on how frequently a music file is to be played.

Claim 49 (Currently amended): The method apparatus of claim 45, wherein the user interface enables a user to create a custom station.

Claim 50 (Currently amended): The method apparatus of claim 49, wherein the user interface enables a user to share the custom station with another user.

Claim 51 (Currently amended): An article of manufacture comprising a <u>tangible</u> computer program carrier readable by a computer and <u>embodying having stored thereon</u> one or more instructions executable by the computer to perform method steps for providing data to a user of a client computer connected to multiple data stores and multiple other computers, comprising:

providing a user interface to enable the user to identify desired data; retrieving the desired data; and

providing the desired data to the user.

Claim 52 (original): The article of manufacture of claim 51, wherein the user interface provides categories of data.

Claim 53 (original): The article of manufacture of claim 52, wherein the categories of data include music categories.

Claim 54 (original): The article of manufacture of claim 52, wherein the categories of data include news categories.

Claim 55 (original): The article of manufacture of claim 51, wherein the desired data comprises one or more music files that are played with a media player.

Claim 56 (original): The article of manufacture of claim 55, further comprising providing a music controller.

Claim 57 (original): The article of manufacture of claim 55, wherein the user interface enables a user to create music filters.

Claim 58 (original): The article of manufacture of claim 57, wherein a music filter comprises data on how frequently a music file is to be played.

Claim 59 (original): The article of manufacture of claim 55, wherein the user interface enables a user to create a custom station.

Claim 60 (original): The article of manufacture of claim 59, wherein the user interface enables a user to share the custom station with another user.

Claims 61 - 90 (cancelled)